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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

FRIEDRICH SOSNA, ET AL.

SERIAL NO: 10/070,817

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FOR: MICROBICIDAL ADDITIVES

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: EXAMINER: NUTTER, NATHAN

: ALLOWED; NOVEMBER 20, 2003

: GROUP ART UNIT: 1711

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PETITION UNDER §37 C.F.R. § 1.181(A)(3)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Petitioners respectfully request the Office to invoke the supervising authority of the Commissioner and consider Petitioners' Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance, concurrently filed herewith, and also indicate that the Information Disclosure Statement filed on March 11, 2002, and May 6, 2002, have been entered and considered. Copies of the Information Disclosure Statement as filed, including references and the date-stamped filing receipts evidencing the timely filing thereof are attached. An early and favorable indication that the Information Disclosure Statement and the Supplemental Amendment have been entered and considered is kindly solicited.

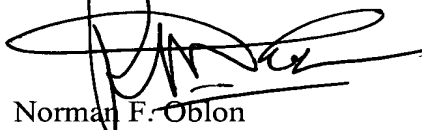
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Reply to Office Action of November 20, 2003

For the reasons given above, this petition should be GRANTED.

Respectfully submitted,

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